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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q87392

Tamaki ODA , et al.

Appln. No.: 10/530,886

Group Art Unit: 1642

Confirmation No.: 4706

Examiner: Suzanne Marie Noakes

Filed: April 11, 2005

For: CAP BINDING PROTEIN

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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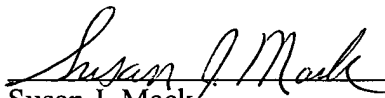
Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement, dated January 20, 2006, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-3 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 4-10.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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